IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

ETHEL HARKINS,

No. C-06-0566 MMC

Plaintiff,

ORDER CONTINUING CASE MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE

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ASTRAZENECA PHARMACEUTICALS, L.P., ASTRAZENECA, L.P., and ELI LILLY AND COMPANY,

Defendants

Before the Court is plaintiff's Case Management Conference Statement, filed May 2, 2006, by which plaintiff seeks to continue the May 12, 2006 case management conference in the instant action by approximately 120 days. Plaintiff states a continuance is necessary because she anticipates the instant action will be transferred for inclusion in MDL No. 1596, In re Zyprexa Products Liability Litigation, and/or MDL No. 1769, In re Seroquel Products Liability Litigation, and because she has not yet served the defendants. Because the instant action was filed January 27, 2006, the 120-day deadline for plaintiff to serve defendants, pursuant to Rule 4(m) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, has not yet elapsed.

Accordingly, for good cause shown, the May 12, 2006 case management conference is hereby continued to September 8, 2006 at 10:30 a.m. A joint case management statement shall be filed no later than September 1, 2006. The deadline to serve defendants, pursuant to Rule 4(m) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, remains in effect.

United States District Judge

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: May 3, 2006

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